UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

KENNETH HIGHLEY,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
VS.)	No. 4:06CV00133 AGF
)	
JO ANN B. BARNHART, Comissioner,)	
Social Security Administration,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

ORDER TO MAKE AN ELECTION AND RETURN FORM

The above cause was assigned to the undersigned United States Magistrate Judge by random selection under the Civil Justice Reform Act Expense and Delay Reduction Plan for the United States District Court, Eastern District of Missouri (CJRA Plan), and by administrative order this Court has jurisdiction and authority under 28 U.S.C. § 636(b).

Under the CJRA Plan and Local Court Rule 2.08(A), if a case is randomly assigned to a magistrate judge, "each party shall execute and file within 20 days of its appearance either a written consent to the exercise of authority by the magistrate judge under 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), or a written election to have the action reassigned to a district judge." (emphasis added)

The Clerk has informed this Court that the time for filing the consent/opt-out forms in this case has expired and that a reminder and request have been sent by the

Clerk, but that signed consent/opt-out forms have not been received from all parties.

Therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that by not later than May 22, 2006, any party who has not done so shall file with the Clerk a signed consent/opt-out form.

FAILURE TO FILE THE FORM MAY RESULT IN THE IMPOSITION OF SANCTIONS.

AUDREY G. FLEISSIG

United States Magistrate Judge

Dated May 10, 2006.